

TTHM Working Group

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Hello TTHM Working Group,

Last week, the Town Supervisor for the Town of Ithaca called me with some unfortunate news. The previous Town Supervisor had suggested that Ithaca would be installing an aerator in their water tank near the hospital as part of the tank replacement. Apparently they didn't realize it would cost so much or there was confusion between a mixer and an aerator. Regardless, the aerator cost is estimated to be \$135,000--much more than they were expecting.

Now they are asking us to make a decision. If an aerator is to be installed in their tank, the Town of Ithaca wants us to pay half. There will be a mixer installed, and I don't know how much that will help, but that is at no cost to us. As I understand it, a mixer is much less efficient at reducing TTHMs.

Carissa recently sent out a meeting wizard to find a time to discuss what to do. It will also be a special meeting of the Town Board because more than 2 Town Board members will be attending. I've also cc'd Phil Antweiler in case he wants to come too as the JCA President.

I hope we can find a date to meet soon.

Best regards,

-Liz

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